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RE: HCIC, HCIC Upper Pond Borrow Site, S/015/0100, Emery County, Utah

In Reply Please Refer to Case No. 10-1410

Dear Mr. Baker:

The Utah State Historic Preservation Office received your request for our comment on the above-referenced project.

There is potential to effect cultural resources with this undertaking, USHPO recommends that the area of potential effect for the mine be surveyed by a permitted archaeologist.

This letter serves as our comment on the determinations you have made, within the consultation process specified in §36CFR800.4. If you have questions, please contact me at 801-533-3555 or Lhunsaker@utah.gov or contact Jim Dykmann at 801-533-3523 or Jdykman@utah.gov

Sincerely,

Lori Hunsaker

Deputy State Historic Preservation Officer

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